

# MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY PO BOX 30473 LANSING MI 48909-7973

## CALENDAR

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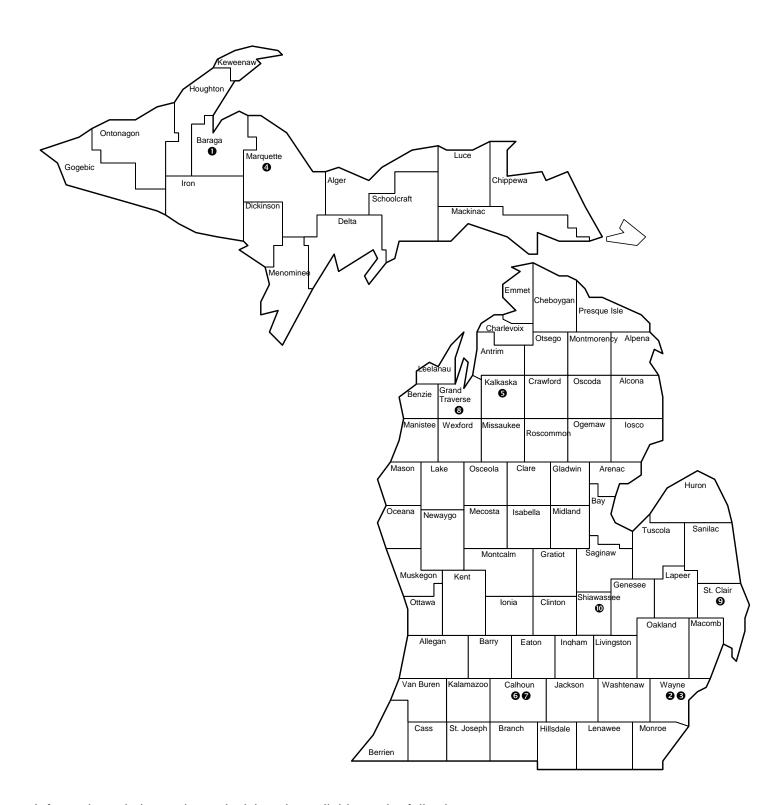
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## PART I: ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES, PERMITTING AND RELATED REGULATIONS

### Permit Decisions Before the Office of the Director

AIR QUALITY DIVISION See Map No. - •

L'ANSE WARDEN ELECTRIC POWER, L'ANSE, BARAGA COUNTY, proposed Permit to Install application (PTI) for modifications to the existing boiler to increase the heat input to 324 MM Btu/hr for steam production; change the fuel from coal to wood waste, railroad ties, tire derived fuel, paper sludge, mill ash, fines and bark; and reduce the natural gas usage to less than 10 percent. The facility is located at 157 South Main Street, L'Anse, Michigan. Additionally, the revisions to the existing permit will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI-ROP-B4260-2004 (SRN B4260). This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The responsible official for the source is Mike Reid. GM/COO, L'Anse Warden Electric Power, LLC, 33707 Power Plant Road, White Pine, Michigan 49971. Renewable Operating Permit and New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at www.michigan.gov/degair. Public comment will be taken through September 10, 2007. If requested by September 10, 2007, a hearing will be held September 26, 2007 (see September 26 listing in this calendar). Written comments should be sent to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909, to the attention of William Presson, Acting Permit Section Supervisor. Information Contact: Randal Telesz, Air Quality Division, 517-373-7089. Decision-maker: G. Vinson Hellwig, Air Quality Division Chief.

AIR QUALITY DIVISION See Map No. - @

M-LOK INC./REILLY PLATING COMPANY, MELVINDALE, WAYNE COUNTY, proposed Permit to Install application for request for facility-wide federally enforceable permit limit on Hazardous Air Pollutant emissions below major source thresholds. The facility is located at 17760 Clarann, Melvindale, Michigan. New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a>. Public comment will be taken through August 17, 2007. If requested by August 17, 2007, a hearing will be held August 23, 2007 (see August 23 listing in this calendar). Written comments should be sent to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909, to the attention of William A. Presson, Acting Permit Section Supervisor. Information Contact: *Mark C. Mitchell*, Air Quality Division, 517-373-7077. Decision-maker: *Lynn Fiedler*, Acting Air Quality Division Assistant Chief.

**MEIDEN TECHNICAL CENTER NORTH AMERICA, INC, NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP, WAYNE COUNTY,** proposed Permit to Install application for installation and operation of an engine testing facility, located at 15810 Centennial Drive, Northville, Michigan. New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a>. Public comment will be taken through August 27, 2007. If requested by August 27, 2007, an informational session and hearing will be held August 29, 2007 (see August 29 listing in this calendar). Written comments should be sent to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan, 48909, to the attention of William A. Presson, Acting Permit Section Supervisor. Information Contact: *Jim Donaldson*, Air Quality Division, 517-241-7470. Decision-maker: *G. Vinson Hellwig*, Air Quality Division Chief.

WASTE AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS DIVISION See Map - No. @

MARQUETTE COUNTY SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY TYPE II LANDFILL, SANDS TOWNSHIP, MARQUETTE COUNTY. For the consideration of a Part 115 Solid Waste Management construction permit application, for a lateral and vertical expansion of a Type II solid waste landfill on the existing property. A decision is expected by September 28, 2007. Information Contact: *Robert Schmeling* at 906-346-8545 or Email at <a href="mailto:schmeling">schmeling</a> at 906-346-8545 or Email at <a href="mailto:schmeling">schmeling</a> michigan.gov. Decision-maker: <a href="mailto:DEQ Director">DEQ Director</a>.

### Other Decisions Before the Office of the Director

AIR QUALITY DIVISION See Map No. - 9

CODING PRODUCTS, INC., KALKASKA, KALKASKA COUNTY. Written comments are being accepted on a proposed Consent Order to administratively resolve alleged air pollution violations. You may obtain copies of the proposed Consent Order and Staff Activity Report on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/degair">www.michigan.gov/degair</a>. Submit written comments to Malcolm Mead-O'Brien, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan

48909. Written comments must be received by September 19, 2007. If a request is received in writing by September 19, 2007, a public hearing will be scheduled. Information Contact: *Malcolm Mead-O'Brien*, Air Quality Division, 517-241-2094. Decision-maker: *G. Vinson Hellwig*, Air Quality Division Chief.

AIR QUALITY DIVISION See Map No. - @ **LEE 8 STORAGE PARTNERSHIP, OLIVET, CALHOUN COUNTY.** Written comments are being accepted on a proposed Consent Order to administratively resolve alleged air pollution violations. You may obtain copies of the proposed Consent Order and Staff Activity Report on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a>. Submit written comments to Tom Andrzejewski, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Written comments must be received by September 5, 2007. If a request is received in writing by September 5, 2007, a public hearing will be scheduled. Information Contact: *Tom Andrzejewski*, Air Quality Division, 517-373-0134. Decision-maker: *G. Vinson Hellwig*, Air Quality Division Chief.

AIR QUALITY DIVISION See Map No. - 9

STELMI AMERICA, INC., MARSHALL, CALHOUN COUNTY. Written comments are being accepted on a proposed Consent Order to administratively resolve alleged air pollution violations. You may obtain copies of the proposed Consent Order and Staff Activity Report on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a>. Submit written comments to Tom Andrzejewski, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Written comments must be received by September 5, 2007. If a request is received in writing by September 5, 2007, a public hearing will be scheduled. Information Contact: *Tom Andrzejewski*, Air Quality Division, 517-373-0134. Decision-maker: *G. Vinson Hellwig*, Air Quality Division Chief.

LAND AND WATER MANAGEMENT DIVISION See Map No. - ©

PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE CONSENT AGREEMENT, PRIDE ONE CHERRY TREE LLC/CHERRY TREE INN, GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY. The DEQ's Land and Water Management Division is providing notice of a proposed Consent Agreement with Pride One Cherry Tree, LLC/Cherry Tree Inn, Grand Traverse County, to administratively resolve alleged wetland violations. You may obtain copies of the proposed consent agreement and exhibits on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deqlwmd">www.michigan.gov/deqlwmd</a>. Information Contact: *David PingeI*, Land and Water Management Division, P.O. Box 30458, Lansing, Michigan, 48909, or at 517-335-7209. Decision-maker: *Elizabeth M. Browne*, Chief, Land and Water Management Division.

LAND AND WATER MANAGEMENT DIVISION See Map No. - ©

**PROPOSED FILLED BOTTOMLANDS DEED, ST. CLAIR COUNTY.** Proposed filled bottomlands deed to a 0.52-acre parcel of Lake St. Clair public trust bottomlands in the St. Clair Flats, Sni Bora Channel Section, Clay Township, St. Clair County. File SBC 362. Information Contact: *Tom Graf*, Land and Water Management Division, 517-335-3471. Decision-maker: *DEQ Director*.

## **Proposed Settlements of Contested Cases**

WATER BUREAU See Map No. - ® CITY OF OWOSSO, OWOSSO/MID-SHIAWASSE COUNTY WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT, OWOSSO, SHIAWASSEE COUNTY (NPDES Permit No. MI0023752). Based on a negotiated settlement of a petition for a contested case hearing, the Water Bureau is proposing to revise the total mercury effluent limitation requirements and the Pollutant Minimization Program in the discharge permit issued on March 22, 2007, to the City of Owosso. The facility discharges 6.0 million gallons per day of treated municipal wastewater to the Shiawassee River. The proposed permit, notice of negotiation of settlement, and fact sheet may be obtained via the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deq">www.michigan.gov/deq</a> - go to the left side of the screen click on Water, Surface Water, and NPDES Permits; then click on 'Permits on Public Notice' which is under the Permits banner or at the Water Bureau Lansing District Office located at Constitution Hall, 525 West Allegan Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor-North, P.O. Box 30242, Lansing, Michigan 48909, telephone: 517-335-4598. Information Contact: Stephanie Swart, Water Bureau, telephone: 517-335-6721, or Email at <a href="mailto:swartsl@michigan.gov">swartsl@michigan.gov</a>.

## Administrative Rules Promulgation

AIR QUALITY DIVISION

PART 55, AIR POLLUTION CONTROL, NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT, 1994 PA 451, AS AMENDED. The Department intends to develop proposed revisions to the Air Pollution Control Rules (SOAHR 2007-038EQ). The proposed modifications to R 336.1803, R 336.1822, R 336.1823, and R 336.1830 are being developed to address deficiencies in Michigan's Clean Air Interstate Rules to reduce oxides of nitrogen from electric generating units.

Information Contact: *Teresa Walker*, Air Quality Division, 517-335-2247. Decision-maker: *DEQ Director*.

## AIR QUALITY DIVISION

PART 55, AIR POLLUTION CONTROL, NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT, 1994 PA 451, AS AMENDED. The Air Quality Division will be holding a public hearing on September 5, 2007 (see September 5 listing in this calendar) on a proposed revision to the Air Pollution Control Rules (SOAHR 2006-043EQ). The proposed new rule, R 336.1640, will limit volatile organic compound emissions at a cement manufacturing facility. The proposed rules can be viewed on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/degair">www.michigan.gov/degair</a> (click on "Laws & Rules"). Copies of the proposed rules may also be obtained by contacting the Air Quality Division, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, 525 West Allegan Street, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760. Written comments will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on September 5, 2007, and should be mailed to the address above. Information Contact: Asad Khan, Air Quality Division, 517-335-6825, or Email at khana@michigan.gov. Decision-maker: DEQ Director.

## LAND AND WATER MANAGEMENT DIVISION

PART 761, ABORIGINAL RECORDS AND ANTIQUITIES OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT, 1994 PA 451, AS AMENDED. The Land and Water Management Division will hold a public hearing on Tuesday September 11, 2007, at 7:00 p.m. on a proposed rule to establish the Grand Traverse Bay Great Lakes State Bottomlands Preserve. The hearing will be held in Room 214 of the Great Lakes Maritime Academy Building, Great Lakes Campus, Northwestern Michigan College, 715 East Front Street, Traverse City, Michigan 49686. The proposed rule (SOAHR #2006-073 EQ) is published on the Web at <a href="www.michigan.gov/orr">www.michigan.gov/orr</a>; select "Recent and Pending Rule Changes" then select "Environmental Quality." Copies of the proposed rule may also be obtained by contacting the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Land and Water Management Division, P.O. Box 30458, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7958, or Email at <a href="graft@michigan.gov">graft@michigan.gov</a>. Written comments will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on Friday, September 21, 2007, and should be mailed to the address above. Information Contact: *Tom Graf*, Land and Water Management Division, 517-335-3471.

### **Announcements**

LAND AND WATER MANAGEMENT DIVISION

MINIMUM FLOW RELEASE FROM THE GREENWOOD RESERVOIR TO THE MIDDLE BRANCH ESCANABA RIVER REDUCED BECAUSE OF DROUGHT CONDITIONS. On July 23, 2007, the DEQ's, Land and Water Management Division (LWMD), authorized the temporary reduction of the minimum flow release to the Middle Branch Escanaba River. This action is in response to a petition from the Tilden Mining Company. The LWMD concurs that the watershed is experiencing a severe drought, and if weather conditions do not improve, there is a risk that the Greenwood Reservoir could reach critical levels next spring. The required minimum flow release from July 24, 2007, until September 14, 2007, will be 16 cfs. This authorization is pursuant to the Tilden Mining Company's Amended Order and Permit dated November 2, 1998, issued under the authority of Part 35, Use of Water in Mining Low-Grade Ore, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended. Information Contact: *David A. Hamilton*, 517-335-3174.

# REMEDIATION AND REDEVELOPMENT DIVISION

OPERATIONAL MEMORANDUM NO. I UPDATE TO PART 201 GENERIC SOIL INHALATION CRITERIA FOR AMBIENT AIR AND PART 213 TIER I SOIL INHALATION RISK-BASED SCREENING LEVELS FOR AMBIENT AIR. The DEQ Remediation and Redevelopment Division (RRD) has released an update to Operational Memorandum No. 1 – Attachment 7 Technical Support Document (TSD) of the Part 201 Generic Soil Inhalation Criteria (SIC) for Ambient Air and Part 213 Tier I Soil Inhalation Risk-Based Screening Levels for Ambient Air. This TSD can be accessed from the Web on the RRD Operational Memorandum page, click here. You can also navigate to this page from the RRD home page <a href="www.michigan.gov/deqrrd">www.michigan.gov/deqrrd</a>; scroll down to the 'What's New' section and select the 'Operational Memoranda' item. Information Contact: *Dr. Divinia Ries*, Remediation and Redevelopment Division, 517-241-8145 or Email at <a href="mailto:riesd@michigan.gov">riesd@michigan.gov</a>. For questions regarding application of the SIC to sites of environmental contamination, contact the appropriate DEQ Remediation and Redevelopment Division Office/project manager.

## REMEDIATION AND REDEVELOPMENT DIVISION

SECOND ROUND OF APPLICATIONS (July 30-August 29, 2007) – TEMPORARY REIMBURSEMENT PROGRAM FOR LEAKING UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SITES. The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) Remediation and Redevelopment Division (RRD) will administer the second round of the Temporary Reimbursement Program (TRP) created

JULY 30 – AUGUST 29, 2007 by the July 20, 2006, amendments to Part 215, Refined Petroleum Fund (RPF), of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451.

Overview: The first round of the TRP allocated approximately \$26 million for owners and operators who had approved claims under the former Michigan Underground Storage Tank Financial Assurance (MUSTFA)<sup>1</sup> Program or persons with a valid assignment of an approved MUSTFA claim for high risk sites, provided certain other eligibility criteria were met. The TRP assists owners and operators in paying for newly incurred cleanup costs associated with releases from their petroleum underground storage tank systems. Note that the program is only for new costs incurred <a href="after">after</a> approval of the pre-certification application. Funds remain for a second round of applications that will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Applicants who were approved in the first round for a given site cannot reapply for the same site. Applicants denied in the first round due to the site risk not being a class 1 or class 2 before May 9, 2005, may reapply if the latest information shows that the site is a class 1 or a class 2. The eligibility criteria for the second round are the same as those for the first round except that the site risk of class 1 or class 2 must be based on the most recent data.

Eligible persons shall receive reimbursement of 80 percent of each approved work invoice, up to a maximum total reimbursement amount of \$50,000.00 per approved site. The remaining 20 percent, up to a maximum of \$12,500, is considered a co-pay amount to be paid by the applicant. If funds still remain after all allocations, the remaining money will be allocated on a prorated basis among the approved first and second round applicants. To receive funding, the applicant must retain a Qualified Underground Storage Tank Consultant (QC) to perform the corrective actions in accordance with Part 213.<sup>2</sup>

**Application Timeframe:** The application form for the second round will be available on the Internet at 8:00 a.m. July 30, 2007, and will be accepted from July 30, 2007, through 5:00 p.m. August 29, 2007. Applications submitted outside this window will not be considered. Subscribers to the DEQ-RRD electronic mailing list (listserv) will also receive the application form when it is released.

For more information: Details on the program and the enabling legislation are available from the RPF – Temporary Reimbursement Program link on the RRD homepage at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/degrrd">www.michigan.gov/degrrd</a>. In order to receive further updates on the TRP, the DEQ recommends that you subscribe to the Remediation and Redevelopment Division's electronic mailing list (listserv) by sending an Email message to <a href="mailto:rpf@michigan.gov">rpf@michigan.gov</a>.

Information Contacts: *Robert Reisner*, Funding Support Unit Chief, Remediation and Redevelopment Division, 517-335-6843, or Email at <a href="mailto:reisnerr@michigan.gov">reisnerr@michigan.gov</a>, and *Paula McAllister*, Temporary Reimbursement Program Unit Chief, Remediation and Redevelopment Division, 517-335-7251, or Email at <a href="mailto:mcallisp@michigan.gov">mcallisp@michigan.gov</a>.

REMEDIATION AND REDEVELOPMENT DIVISION JULY – SEPTEMBER 14, 2007 CALL FOR IDEAS (now through September 14, 2007) FOR BROWNFIELDS 2008-DETROIT **CONFERENCE.** Gear up for the largest gathering of Brownfields stakeholders – the BROWNFIELDS 2008 conference - to be held on May 5-7, 2008 at the Cobo Center in Detroit. With nearly 6,000 attendees, over 150 educational sessions, more than 200 exhibitors, and unrivaled networking events - this National Brownfields Conference is the premier event of its kind and is cosponsored by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the International City/County Management Association (ICMA). The CALL FOR IDEAS is open from now through September 14, 2007! To create an exceptional educational experience, we welcome your perspective on the most important issues facing brownfields practitioners, policy makers, communities, and companies. Please send your abstracts, proposals for complete sessions, or simply an idea that you think should be considered for the 2008 conference today! Brownfields 2008 includes timely and valuable knowledge and skill building workshops, exceptional business development and networking opportunities, and hundreds of product and service providers in the exhibit hall to meet your project needs. Visit www.brownfields2008.org to learn the latest, submit your Call for Ideas, and sign up for the Brownfields 2008 e-newsletter. The DEQ is an official endorser of Brownfields 2008. Information Contact: Ronald Smedley, Remediation and Redevelopment Division, 517-373-4805, or Email at smedleyr@michigan.gov.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The former MUSTFA program created under Part 215 of Act 451.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Part 213, Leaking Underground Storage Tanks, of Act 451

#### **WATER BUREAU**

The Water Bureau is announcing a change in the public notice process for wastewater discharge permits issued pursuant to Part 31. Water Resources Protection, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act. 1994 PA 451, as amended (Act 451). These permits are commonly referred to as National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES), Storm Water, and Groundwater permits. Public notice requirements for draft permits are identified in Rule 323.2117 of Act 451, and provide for three options, which include posting the public notice document in a post office or other public building near the wastewater discharge, posting the public notice document at the entrance of the applicant's premises, or publishing the notice in a local newspaper. The Water Bureau has historically relied on publishing the notice in a local newspaper. However, this practice has been found to have limited success in reaching the public. The Water Bureau has found that use of electronic means, such as publishing the notice on the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality Web site, has been more effective. In light of this, and the ability to conserve fiscal resources, the Water Bureau is changing the required public notice process to use the options other than publishing the notice in a local newspaper as a first preference. The Water Bureau will continue to work to effectively involve the public in this process, and will track the public participation process to ensure there is no decrease in public participation over time as a result of this change. Information Contact: William Creal. Water Bureau, 517-335-4114 or Email at crealw@michigan.gov.

## **Public Hearings and Meetings**

Note: Persons with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation in any of the meetings noted in this Calendar should call or write the appropriate meeting information contact listed below at least a week in advance to request mobility, visual, hearing, or other assistance.

**AUGUST 22, 2007** 

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING GRANGER GRAND RIVER AVENUE LANDFILL (SRN: N5996), GRAND LEDGE, CLINTON COUNTY,** for the proposed approval of a draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a landfill with an associated gas-to-energy plant. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a>. The responsible official of the stationary source is Ralph Nuerenberg, President, Granger Land, and Joel Zylstra, President, Granger Electric, P.O. Box 27185, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Comments on the draft permit are to be submitted by August 22, 2007, to Daniel McGeen, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Lansing District Office, 4N, P.O. Box 30242, Lansing, Michigan 48909. The decision-maker for the permit is Michael F. Masterson, District Supervisor. If requested in writing by August 22, 2007, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: Daniel McGeen, Air Quality Division, 517-335-6347.

**AUGUST 22, 2007** 

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING GRANGER WOOD STREET LANDFILL** (SRN: N5997), LANSING, CLINTON COUNTY, for the proposed approval of a draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a landfill with an associated gas-to-energy plant. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a>. The responsible officials of the stationary source are Ralph Nuerenberg, VP, Granger Waste Management, Joel Zylstra, President, Granger Electric, and Steve Reed, VP, Granger Container, 16980 Wood Road, P.O. Box 27185, Lansing, Michigan 48906. Comments on the draft permit are to be submitted to Daniel McGeen, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Lansing District Office, 4N, P.O. Box 30242, Lansing, Michigan 48909. The decision-maker for the permit is Michael F. Masterson, District Supervisor. If requested in writing by August 22, 2007, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Daniel McGeen**, Air Quality Division, 517-335-6347.

AUGUST 22, 2007 1:30 p.m. PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING THE DRAFT FISCAL YEAR 2008 PROJECT PRIORITY LIST (PPL) AND DRAFT INTENDED USE PLAN (IUP) FOR THE DRINKING WATER REVOLVING FUND (DWRF). The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) will hold a public hearing on the draft Fiscal Year 2008 PPL for the DWRF listing projects for which complete, final Project Plans were submitted to the DEQ by May 1, 2007, and the draft Fiscal Year 2008 IUP. These documents can be found on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deq">www.michigan.gov/deq</a>, or you may call 517-373-2161 to have the packet mailed to you. The Public Hearing will be held on August 22, 2007 at 1:30 p.m. on the Atrium Level of Constitution Hall, Con Con A Conference Room, 525 West Allegan Street,

Lansing, Michigan. The hearing record will remain open to receive written comments until 5:00 p.m. on August 27, 2007. Comments should be sent Chip Heckathorn, Chief, Revolving Loan and Operator Certification Section, Environmental Science and Services Division, DEQ, P.O. Box 30457, Lansing, MI 48909-7957. Information Contact: *Chip Heckathorn*, Environmental Science and Services Division, 517-373-4725.

AUGUST 23, 2007 9:00 a.m.

**TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING M-LOK INC./REILLY PLATING COMPANY, MELVINDALE, WAYNE COUNTY,** proposed Permit to Install application for proposed for facility-wide federally enforceable permit limit on Hazardous Air Pollutant emissions below major source thresholds. The facility is located at 17760 Clarann, Melvindale, Michigan. New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a>. If requested by August 17, 2007, a public hearing will be held in the Constitution Hall, Lillian Hatcher Conference Room, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor North, 525 West Allegan Street, Lansing, Michigan. Information Contact: *Mark C. Mitchell*, Air Quality Division, 517-373-7077.

**AUGUST 27, 2007** 

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING MEIDEN TECHNICAL CENTER NORTH AMERICA, INC, NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP, WAYNE COUNTY,** proposed Permit to Install application for installation and operation of an engine testing facility, located at 15810 Centennial Drive, Northville, Michigan. New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a>. If requested by August 27, 2007, an informational session and hearing will be held August 29, 2007 (see August 29 listing in this calendar). Written comments should be sent to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan, 48909, to the attention of William A. Presson, Acting Permit Section Supervisor. Information Contact: *Jim Donaldson*, Air Quality Division, 517-241-7470.

AUGUST 29, 2007 2:00 p.m.

PUBLIC MEETING IN CASEVILLE ON NEW GENERAL PERMIT FOR LIMITED GREAT LAKES SHORELINE MANAGEMENT. The DEQ will hold a public information session to aid shoreline property owners in understanding activities that qualify under the new General Permit and to explain the application process. The meeting will be held at Caseville High School, 6609 Vine Street, Caseville, Michigan 48725, from 2:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Staff will be available to answer individual questions and to aid property owners in filling out the new, simplified application form. The detailed General Permit and application form can be found by clicking on "Great Lakes Shoreline Management" at <a href="www.michigan.gov/deqwetlands">www.michigan.gov/deqwetlands</a>. Information Contact: *Tracy Collin*, Land and Water Management Division, Email at <a href="mailto:collint@michigan.gov">collint@michigan.gov</a>.

AUGUST 29, 2007 6:30 p.m.

TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED INFORMATIONAL SESSION REGARDING MEIDEN TECHNICAL CENTER NORTH AMERICA, INC, NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP, WAYNE COUNTY, proposed Permit to Install application for installation and operation of an engine testing facility, located at 15810 Centennial Drive, Northville, Michigan. New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a>. If a public hearing is requested, an informational session will be held from 6:30 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. prior to the hearing at the Northville Municipal Office, in the Community Room, 44405 - 6 Mile Road, Northville, Michigan. Following a brief introduction regarding the proposed project, staff will be available to answer questions. The public hearing will immediately follow with formal testimony taken at that time. Information Contact: Jim Donaldson, Air Quality Division, 517-241-7470.

AUGUST 29, 2007 7:00 p.m.

TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING MEIDEN TECHNICAL CENTER NORTH AMERICA, INC, NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP, WAYNE COUNTY, proposed Permit to Install application for installation and operation of an engine testing facility, located at 15810 Centennial Drive, Northville, Michigan. New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a>. If a public hearing is requested in writing by August 27, 2007, a public hearing will be held at the Northville Municipal Office, in the Community Room, 44405 - 6 Mile Road, Northville, Michigan. Information Contact: *Jim Donaldson*, Air Quality Division, 517-241-7470.

AUGUST 30, 2007 2:00 p.m.

PUBLIC MEETING IN BAY CITY ON NEW GENERAL PERMIT FOR LIMITED GREAT LAKES SHORELINE MANAGEMENT. The DEQ will hold a public information session to aid shoreline property owners in understanding activities that qualify under the new General Permit and to explain the application process. The meeting will be held at the Doubletree Inn, One Wenonah Park Place, Bay City, Michigan 48708, from 2:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Staff will be available to answer individual questions and to aid property owners in filling out the new, simplified application form. The detailed General Permit and application form can be found by clicking on "Great Lakes Shoreline"

Management" at <a href="www.michigan.gov/deqwetlands">www.michigan.gov/deqwetlands</a>. Information Contact: *Tracy Collin*, Land and Water Management Division, Email at <a href="mailto:collint@michigan.gov">collint@michigan.gov</a>.

#### **SEPTEMBER 3, 2007**

DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING DTE ENERGY, BELLE RIVER MILLS COMPRESSOR STATION, ST. CLAIR, ST. CLAIR COUNTY, proposed Permit to Install application for modification of the existing two large compressor engines to include low emission combustion technology to reduce nitrogen oxide emissions. The facility is located at 5440 Puttygut Road, St. Clair, Michigan. Additionally, the revisions to the existing permit will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI-ROP-B6478-2004 (SRN B6478). This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The responsible official for the source is Lillian Woolley, DTE Energy, Mail Code 655 GO, 2000 Second Avenue, Detroit, Michigan. Renewable Operating Permit and New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a>. If requested by September 3, 2007, a hearing will be held September 6, 2007 (see September 6 listing in this calendar). Written comments should be sent to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909, to the attention of William A. Presson, Acting Permit Section Supervisor. Information Contact: Lori Myott, Air Quality Division, 517-373-7082.

#### **SEPTEMBER 3, 2007**

INTENT TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR CLEAN CORPORATE CITIZEN DESIGNATION, MAHLE POWERTRAIN, LLC, 23030 HAGGERTY ROAD, FARMINGTON HILLS, OAKLAND COUNTY. The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality has received notice from MAHLE.

COUNTY. The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality has received notice from MAHLE Powertrain, LLC of its intent to apply for Clean Corporate Citizen (C3) designation. The C3 program provides incentives for improved environmental protection. Regulated establishments that have demonstrated environmental stewardship can receive C3 designation and public recognition for their efforts and are entitled to certain regulatory benefits. As part of the application process, MAHLE Powertrain, LLC will be accepting public comments and making its application available for public review until September 3, 2007 at the Farmington Hills Public Library. Contact Hal R. Johnson directly to submit comments or for information on reviewing the application. Written comments may also be submitted directly to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Environmental Science and Services Division, P.O. Box 30457, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7957, Attn: Clean Corporate Citizen Program. Please include the specific facility name in any letters submitted for public comment. Information Contact: *Hal R. Johnson*, Chief Engineer, MAHLE Powertrain, LLC, 248-735-3445.

#### **SEPTEMBER 3, 2007**

INTENT TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION FOR CLEAN CORPORATE CITIZEN DESIGNATION, MAHLE POWERTRAIN, LLC, 4100 VINCENTI COURT, NOVI, OAKLAND COUNTY. The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality has received notice from MAHLE Powertrain, LLC of its intent to apply for Clean Corporate Citizen (C3) designation. The C3 program provides incentives for improved environmental protection. Regulated establishments that have demonstrated environmental stewardship can receive C3 designation and public recognition for their efforts and are entitled to certain regulatory benefits. As part of the application process, MAHLE Powertrain, LLC will be accepting public comments and making its application available for public review until September 3, 2007 at the Novi Public Library. Contact Dania M. Dunlap directly to submit comments or for information on reviewing the application. Written comments may also be submitted directly to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Environmental Science and Services Division, P.O. Box 30457, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7957, Attn: Clean Corporate Citizen Program. Please include the specific facility name in any letters submitted for public comment. Information Contact: Dania M. Dunlap, Business Process Manager, MAHLE Powertrain, LLC, 248-888-3027.

## SEPTEMBER 4, 2007 7:00 p.m.

**PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY THE BARRY COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION, HASTINGS, MICHIGAN.** The Land and Water Management Division will hold a public hearing at the Thornapple Emergency Services Building, 128 High Street, Middleville, Michigan. The hearings will be for Permit Application Number 07-08-0026-P, submitted by the Barry County Road Commission. The applicant proposes to connect M-37 and Patterson Road north of the City of Middleville by reconstructing Finkbeiner Road and extending Crane Road across the Thornapple River, various streams, and wetland areas. The project includes floodplain fill and a total of 1.6 acres of wetland impacts, and 3.2 acres of wetland mitigation. Information Contact: *Holly Vickers*, Land and Water Management Division, 517-373-4667.

#### **SEPTEMBER 5, 2007**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING FORD MOTOR COMPANY – STERLING PLANT (SRN: A3567), STERLING HEIGHTS, MACOMB COUNTY,** for the proposed approval of a

draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a vehicle axle and drive shaft manufacturing facility. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a>. The responsible official of the stationary source is Patricia B. Reid, Plant Manager, 39000 Mound Road, Sterling Heights, Michigan 48310. Comments on the draft permit are to be submitted to Remilando Pinga, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Southeast Michigan District Office, 27700 Donald Court, Warren, MIchigan 48092. The decision-maker for the permit is Teresa Seidel, Southeast Michigan District Supervisor. If requested in writing by September 5, 2007, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: *Remilando Pinga*, Air Quality Division, 586-753-3744.

#### **SEPTEMBER 5, 2007**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING LEE 8 STORAGE PARTNERSHIP, OLIVET, CALHOUN COUNTY.** Written comments are being accepted on a proposed Consent Order to administratively resolve alleged air pollution violations. You may obtain copies of the proposed Consent Order and Staff Activity Report on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/degair">www.michigan.gov/degair</a>. Submit written comments to Tom Andrzejewski, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Written comments must be received by September 5, 2007. If a request is received in writing by September 5, 2007, a public hearing will be scheduled. Information Contact: *Tom Andrzejewski*, Air Quality Division, 517-373-0134.

#### **SEPTEMBER 5, 2007**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING STELMI AMERICA, INC., MARSHALL, CALHOUN COUNTY.** Written comments are being accepted on a proposed Consent Order to administratively resolve alleged air pollution violations. You may obtain copies of the proposed Consent Order and Staff Activity Report on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/degair">www.michigan.gov/degair</a>. Submit written comments to Tom Andrzejewski, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Written comments must be received by September 5, 2007. If a request is received in writing by September 5, 2007, a public hearing will be scheduled. Information Contact: *Tom Andrzejewski*, Air Quality Division, 517-373-0134.

#### **SEPTEMBER 5, 2007**

DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING ST. MARYS CEMENT, INC. (US) (SRN: B1559), CHARLEVOIX, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, for the proposed approval of a draft Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a cement manufacturing facility, including the quarry and one rotary kiln. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/degair">www.michigan.gov/degair</a>. The responsible official of the stationary source is Dirk Cox, Operations Manager, 16000 Bells Bay Road, Charlevoix, Michigan 49720. Comments on the draft ROP are to be submitted to Gloria Torello, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Gaylord Field Office, 2100 West M-32, Gaylord, Michigan 49735. The decision-maker for the permit is Janis Denman, District Supervisor. If requested in writing by September 5, 2007, a public hearing will be held on September 11, 2007 (see September 11 listing in this calendar). Information Contact: *Gloria Torello*, Air Quality Division, 989-705-3410.

#### **SEPTEMBER 5, 2007**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING WHITE TOWER INDUSTRIAL LAUNDRY (SRN: K0291), DETROIT, WAYNE COUNTY,** for the proposed approval of a draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for an industrial clothing cleaning and repair facility. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a>. The responsible official of the stationary source is Martin Smeltzer, 10600 Gratiot Avenue, Detroit, Michigan 48213. Comments on the draft permit are to be submitted to Stephen Weis, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Detroit Field Office, 3058 West Grand Boulevard, Suite 2-300, Detroit, Michigan 48202-2793. The decision-maker for the permit is Teresa Seidel, Southeast Michigan District Office. If requested in writing by September 5, 2007, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Stephen Weis**, Air Quality Division, 313-456-4688.

#### **SEPTEMBER 5, 2007**

**NOTICE OF PENDING SECTION 401 CERTIFICATION.** The Water Bureau is proposing to issue a Section 401 Water Quality Certification to Rock River Beach Incorporated for their Rock River Hydroelectric Project located on the Rock River in Alger County. This Certification contains operating, monitoring, and reporting requirements necessary to meet Michigan's Water Quality

Standards and is a prerequisite to obtaining a license from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission. Copies of the draft Certification are available upon request from Denise Page at 517-335-6969, or Email at <a href="mailto:paged@michigan.gov">paged@michigan.gov</a>. Written comments may be submitted to John Suppnick, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Water Bureau, P.O. Box 30273, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7773, by September 5, 2007. Information Contact: *John Suppnick*, Water Bureau, at 517-335-4192, or Email at <a href="mailto:suppnici@michigan.gov">suppnici@michigan.gov</a>.

**SEPTEMBER 5, 2007** 1:00 p.m.

PART 55, AIR POLLUTION CONTROL, NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT, 1994 PA 451, AS AMENDED. The Air Quality Division will be holding a public hearing on a proposed revision to the Air Pollution Control Rules (SOAHR 2006-043EQ). The proposed new rule, R 336.1640, will limit volatile organic compound emissions at a cement manufacturing facility. The hearing will be held in the Constitution Hall, Brake Conference Room, Atrium South, 525 West Allegan Street, Lansing, Michigan. The proposed rules can be viewed on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a> (click on "Laws & Rules"). Copies of the proposed rules may also be obtained by contacting the Air Quality Division, Department of Environmental Quality, 525 West Allegan Street, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760. Written comments will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on September 5, 2007, and should be mailed to the address above. Information Contact: Asad Khan, Air Quality Division, 517-335-6825, or Email at khana@michigan.gov. Decision-maker: DEQ Director.

**SEPTEMBER 5, 2007** 7:00 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY HARBOR SHORES COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT, BENTON HARBOR, MICHIGAN. The Land and Water Management Division will hold a public hearing at the Michigan Works Service Center, Anchor Room, 499 West Main Street, Benton Harbor, Michigan. The hearing will be for Permit Application Number 07-11-0062-P, submitted by Harbor Shores Community Redevelopment, 400 Riverview Drive, Suite 420, Benton Harbor, Michigan. The applicant proposes install an intake structure and wet well on the Paw Paw River off of Klock Road approximately ¼ mile east of M-63. The purpose of the project is for installation of a new golf course irrigation system. Information Contact: Ben Zimont, Land and Water Management Division, 269-567-3567.

**SEPTEMBER 6, 2007** 

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING SOUTH KENT LANDFILL (SRN: N1324), BYRON TOWNSHIP, KENT COUNTY,** for the proposed approval of a draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a municipal solid waste landfill. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deqair.">www.michigan.gov/deqair.</a> The responsible official of the stationary source is Douglas G. Wood, Director of Public Works, 1500 Scribner Avenue N.W., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49504-3233. Comments on the draft permit are to be submitted to David Morgan, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Grand Rapids District Office, 350 Ottawa NW – Unit 10, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503. The decision-maker for the permit is Heidi G. Hollenbach, Grand Rapids District Supervisor. If requested in writing by September 6, 2007, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact:: *David Morgan*, Air Quality Division, 616-356-0009 or Email at morgand2@michigan.gov.

SEPTEMBER 6, 2007 9:00 a.m.

TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING DTE ENERGY, BELLE RIVER MILLS COMPRESSOR STATION, ST. CLAIR, ST. CLAIR COUNTY, proposed Permit to Install application for modification of the existing two large compressor engines to include low emission combustion technology to reduce nitrogen oxide emissions. The facility is located at 5440 Puttygut Road, St. Clair, Michigan. Additionally, the revisions to the existing permit will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI-ROP-B6478-2004 (SRN B6478). This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The responsible official for the source is Lillian Woolley, DTE Energy, Mail Code 655 GO, 2000 Second Avenue, Detroit, Michigan. Renewable Operating Permit and New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at www.michigan.gov/degair. If requested by September 3, 2007, a public hearing will be held in the Constitution Hall, Adelaide Hart Conference Room, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor North, 525 West Allegan Street, Lansing, Michigan. Those interested may contact the Air Quality Division at 517-373-7082 on September 4, 2007, to determine if a hearing was requested and will be held. Prior to the hearing, an informational session will be held from 8:30 a.m. until 9:00 a.m. in the Adelaide Hart Conference Room, Air Quality Division, Constitution Hall, 525 West Allegan Street, Lansing, Michigan. Staff will provide a brief introduction regarding the proposed

project and will be available to answer questions. The public hearing will IMMEDIATELY FOLLOW. Information Contact: *Lori Myott*, Air Quality Division, 517-373-7082.

SEPTEMBER 10, 2007

DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING L'ANSE WARDEN ELECTRIC POWER. L'ANSE, BARAGA COUNTY, proposed Permit to Install application (PTI) for modifications to the existing boiler to increase the heat input to 324 MM Btu/hr for steam production; change the fuel from coal to wood waste, railroad ties, tire derived fuel, paper sludge, mill ash, fines and bark; and reduce the natural gas usage to less than 10 percent. The facility is located at 157 South Main Street, L'Anse, Michigan. Additionally, the revisions to the existing permit will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI-ROP-B4260-2004 (SRN B4260). This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The responsible official for the source is Mike Reid, GM/COO, L'Anse Warden Electric Power, LLC, 33707 Power Plant Road, White Pine, Michigan 49971. Renewable Operating Permit and New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at www.michigan.gov/deqair. If requested by September 10, 2007, a hearing will be held September 26, 2007 (see September 26 listing in this calendar). Written comments should be sent to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909, to the attention of William Presson, Acting Permit Section Supervisor. Information Contact: Randal Telesz, Air Quality Division. 517-373-7089.

SEPTEMBER 10, 2007 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. & 6:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING EAGLE MINE PROJECT APPLICATION UNDER PART 632 of the NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT, 1994 PA 451, KENNECOTT EAGLE MINERALS COMPANY, MARQUETTE MICHIGAN. The Departments of Environmental Quality and Natural Resources will hold a public hearing at Northern Michigan University, Don H. Bottum University Center, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, 1401 Presque Isle Avenue, Marquette, Michigan to allow interested parties the opportunity to comment on the Eagle Mine Project application. In addition to the mining permit under Part 632, the public hearing will also cover Kennecott's applications for a Groundwater Discharge Permit, Air Use Permit, and lease from the Michigan Department of Natural Resources for the use of state-owned surface property for Kennecott's proposed processing and storage facilities. The location of the proposed mine is Sections 11 and 12, T50N, R29W, Michigamme Township, Marquette County, Michigan. Following the hearing, the DEQ will accept written comments on the proposed decision to grant a mining permit by mail or Email until 5:00 p.m., October 17, 2007. Mail your comments to DEQ/DNR Kennecott Comments, Office of Geological Survey, P.O. Box 30256, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7756 or Email to DEQ-Kennecott-comments@michigan.gov. Information Contact: Steven Wilson. Office of Geological Survey, 517-241-1542.

SEPTEMBER 11 & 12, 2007 1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. & 6:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

SEPTEMBER 13, 2007

1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING EAGLE MINE PROJECT APPLICATION UNDER PART 632 OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT, 1994 PA 451. KENNECOTT EAGLE MINERALS COMPANY, MARQUETTE, MICHIGAN. The Departments of Environmental Quality and Natural Resources will hold a public hearing at the West Branch Community Center, 253-299 Avenue A, Forsyth Township, Michigan (located on the old K.I. Sawyer AFB, approximately 3.5 miles from County Rd. 553, just behind the MDEQ UP District Office) to allow interested parties the opportunity to comment on the Eagle Mine Project application. In addition to the mining permit under Part 632, the public hearing will also cover Kennecott's applications for a Groundwater Discharge Permit, Air Use Permit, and lease from the Michigan Department of Natural Resources for the use of state-owned surface property for Kennecott's proposed processing and storage facilities. The location of the proposed mine is Sections 11 and 12, T50N, R29W, Michigamme Township, Marquette County, Michigan. Following the hearing, the DEQ will accept written comments on the proposed decision to grant a mining permit by mail or email until 5:00 p.m., October 17, 2007. Mail your comments to DEQ/DNR Kennecott Comments, Office of Geological Survey, P.O. Box 30256, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7756 or Email to DEQ-Kennecott-comments@michigan.gov. Information Contact: Steven Wilson, Office of Geological Survey, 517-241-1542.

SEPTEMBER 11, 2007 7:00 p.m. TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING ST. MARYS CEMENT, INC. (US) (SRN: B1559), CHARLEVOIX, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, for the proposed approval of a draft Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a cement manufacturing facility, including the quarry and one rotary kiln. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at www.michigan.gov/degair. The

responsible official of the stationary source is Dirk Cox, Operations Manager, 16000 Bells Bay Road, Charlevoix, Michigan 49720. Comments on the draft ROP are to be submitted to Gloria Torello, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Gaylord Field Office, 2100 West M-32, Gaylord, Michigan 49735. The decision-maker for the permit is Janis Denman, District Supervisor. If requested in writing by September 5, 2007, a public hearing will be held at the Charlevoix Township Hall, located at 12491 Waller Road, Charlevoix, Michigan. Information Contact: *Gloria Torello*, Air Quality Division, 989-705-3410.

SEPTEMBER 11, 2007 7:00 p.m. PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING PART 761, ABORIGINAL RECORDS AND ANTIQUITIES OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT, 1994 PA 451, AS AMENDED. The Land and Water Management Division will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, September 11, 2007, at 7:00 p.m. on a proposed rule to establish the Grand Traverse Bay Great Lakes State Bottomlands Preserve. The hearing will be held in Room 214 of the Great Lakes Maritime Academy Building, Great Lakes Campus, Northwestern Michigan College, 715 East Front Street, Traverse City, Michigan 49686. The proposed rule (SOAHR #2006-073 EQ) is published on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/orr">www.michigan.gov/orr</a>; select "Recent and Pending Rule Changes" then select "Environmental Quality." Copies of the proposed rule may also be obtained by contacting the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Land and Water Management Division, P.O. Box 30458, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7958, or Email at <a href="mailto:graft@michigan.gov">graft@michigan.gov</a>. Written comments will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on Friday, September 21, 2007, and should be mailed to the address above. Information Contact: *Tom Graf*, Land and Water Management Division, 517-335-3471.

SEPTEMBER 13, 2007 2:00 p.m. PUBLIC MEETING IN TRAVERSE CITY ON NEW GENERAL PERMIT FOR LIMITED GREAT LAKES SHORELINE MANAGEMENT. The DEQ will hold a public information session to aid shoreline property owners in understanding activities that qualify under the new General Permit and to explain the application process. The meeting will be held at the Northwestern Michigan College Main Campus, 1701 East Front Street, Traverse City, Michigan 49686, Oleson Center from 2:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Staff will be available to answer individual questions and to aid property owners in filling out the new, simplified application form. The detailed General Permit and application form can be found by clicking on "Great Lakes Shoreline Management" at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deqwetlands">www.michigan.gov/deqwetlands</a>. Information Contact *Tracy Collin*, Land and Water Management Division, Email at <a href="mailto:collint@michigan.gov">collint@michigan.gov</a>.

SEPTEMBER 13, 2007 7:00 p.m. PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY GERMANO MANAGEMENT COMPANY, LIVONIA, MICHIGAN. The Land and Water Management Division will hold a public hearing at the Monroe Charter Township Hall, 4925 East Dunbar Road, Monroe, Michigan. The hearing will be for Permit Application Number 07-58-0041-P, submitted by Germano Management Company, 32540 Schoolcraft Road, Suite 110, Livonia, Michigan. The applicant proposes to excavate a total of 193,517 cubic yards of material for the construction of a storm water pond approximately 7.8 acres in size. The pond will have overflow discharge to LaPlaisance Creek. Information Contact: *Katherine David*, Land and Water Management Division, 517-780-7021.

**SEPTEMBER 14, 2007** 

EXTENSION OF DEADLINE FOR AIR POLLUTION COMMENT PERIOD ON CONSIDERATION OF CLEAN COAL TECHNOLOGY IN AIR USE PERMITTING: The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) is taking public comments until September 14, 2007, on the DEQ's proposal to include clean coal technology as part of the air permitting process for new coal-fired electric generation in the state of Michigan. Specifically, consideration of Integrated Gasification Combined Cycle (IGCC) technology is proposed to be required as a part of the Best Available Control Technology (BACT) determination. The public comment period is to allow all interested parties the opportunity to comment on the DEQ's proposal. Both federal and state regulations require the use of BACT in the permitting of large air emissions sources, such as coal-fired power plants. The federal and state Prevention of Significant Deterioration regulations require that BACT be applied for each pollutant subject to the regulations. BACT is an emission limit based on the maximum degree of reduction for a pollutant and is determined on a case-by-case basis. It is important to note that the BACT limit cannot result in an impact above an air quality standard or any state or federal regulation. Additionally, BACT takes into consideration control options that are achievable through the application of available methods, "including fuel cleaning or treatment or innovative fuel combustion techniques." The DEQ is proposing that IGCC be considered along with other available methods for BACT review as part of the permitting process for coal-fired electric generating units. DEQ's fact sheet dated June 29, 2007, has been amended. The second bullet of the June 29, 2007, fact sheet which read, "Is consistent with policy and guidance provided by the U.S. Environmental

Protection Agency," has been removed. The new fact sheet dated July 26, 2007 is available for inspection at the following locations, or you may request a copy be mailed to you by calling 517-241-7468.

AQD Internet Home Page: <a href="www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a> LANSING: Air Quality Division, DEQ, Constitution Hall, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor North, 525 West Allegan Street (Phone: 517-373-2856)

The public is encouraged to present written views on the DEQ's proposal. Written comments should be sent to William Presson, Acting Permit Section Supervisor, DEQ, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760. All statements received by September 14, 2007, will be compiled and provided to the DEQ Director for his consideration. Information Contact: *William Presson*, Air Quality Division, 517-373-1209.

SEPTEMBER 18, 2007 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. MICHIGAN SMALL BUSINESS CLEAN AIR COMPLIANCE ADVISORY PANEL MEETING, LANSING. The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality is holding a meeting of the Michigan Small Business Clean Air Compliance Advisory Panel (CAP) in Constitution Hall, Katherine Cushman Conference Room, 525 West Allegan Street, Lansing, Michigan. The CAP is a seven-member panel through which members speak freely and openly about air quality matters. The public is encouraged to attend. Individuals needing accommodations for effective participation at the meeting should contact Donna Davis, Environmental Science and Services Division, 517-335-2784, a week in advance to request mobility, visual, hearing or other assistance.

**SEPTEMBER 19, 2007** 

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING CODING PRODUCTS, INC., KALKASKA, KALKASKA COUNTY.** Written comments are being accepted on a proposed Consent Order to administratively resolve alleged air pollution violations. You may obtain copies of the proposed Consent Order and Staff Activity Report on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deqair">www.michigan.gov/deqair</a>. Submit written comments to Malcolm Mead-O'Brien, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Written comments must be received by September 19, 2007. If a request is received in writing by September 19, 2007, a public hearing will be scheduled. Information Contact: *Malcolm Mead-O'Brien*, Air Quality Division, 517-241-2094.

SEPTEMBER 19, 2007 1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. & 6:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING EAGLE MINE PROJECT APPLICATION UNDER PART 632 OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT, 1994 PA 451, KENNECOTT EAGLE MINERALS COMPANY, MARQUETTE, MICHIGAN. The Departments of Environmental Quality and Natural Resources will hold a public hearing at the Lansing Center, Rooms 203 & 204, 333 East Michigan Ave., Lansing, Michigan to allow interested parties the opportunity to comment on the Eagle Mine Project application. In addition to the mining permit under Part 632, the public hearing will also cover Kennecott's applications for a Groundwater Discharge Permit, Air Use Permit, and lease from the Michigan Department of Natural Resources for the use of state-owned surface property for Kennecott's proposed processing and storage facilities. The location of the proposed mine is Sections 11 and 12, T50N, R29W, Michigamme Township, Marquette County, Michigan. Following the hearing, the DEQ will accept written comments on the proposed decision to grant a mining permit by mail or Email until 5:00 p.m., October 17, 2007. Mail your comments to DEQ/DNR Kennecott Comments, Office of Geological Survey, P.O. Box 30256, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7756 or Email to DEQ-Kennecott-comments@michigan.gov. Information Contact: Steven Wilson, Office of Geological Survey, 517-241-1542.

SEPTEMBER 26, 2007 1:30 p.m. PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING THE DRAFT FISCAL YEAR 2008 PROJECT PRIORITY LISTS (PPL) AND DRAFT INTENDED USE PLAN (IUP) FOR THE STATE REVOLVING FUND (SRF) AND THE STRATEGIC WATER QUALITY INITIATIVES FUND (SWQIF). The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality will hold a public hearing on the draft Fiscal Year 2008 PPL for the SRF and SWQIF listing projects for which complete, final Project Plans were submitted to the DEQ by July 1, 2007, and the draft Fiscal Year 2008 IUP. These documents can be found on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deq">www.michigan.gov/deq</a>, or you may call 517-373-2161 to have the packet mailed to you. The Public Hearing will be held on September 26, 2007 at 1:30 p.m. in the Atrium Level of Constitution Hall, Con Con A Conference Room, 525 West Allegan Street, Lansing, Michigan. The hearing record will remain open to receive written comments until 5:00 p.m. on October 1, 2007. Comments should be sent to Chip Heckathorn, Chief, Revolving Loan and Operator Certification Section, Environmental Science and Services Division, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, PO Box 30457, Lansing, MI 48909-7957. Information Contact: Chip Heckathorn, Environmental Science and Services Division, 517-373-4725.

SEPTEMBER 26, 2007 7:00 p.m. TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING L'ANSE WARDEN ELECTRIC POWER, L'ANSE, BARAGA COUNTY, proposed Permit to Install application (PTI) for modifications to the existing boiler to increase the heat input to 324 MM Btu/hr for steam production; change the fuel from coal to wood waste, railroad ties, tire derived fuel, paper sludge, mill ash, fines and bark; and reduce the natural gas usage to less than 10 percent. The facility is located at 157 South Main Street, L'Anse, Michigan, Additionally, the revisions to the existing permit will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI-ROP-B4260-2004 (SRN B4260), This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The responsible official for the source is Mike Reid, GM/COO, L'Anse Warden Electric Power, LLC, 33707 Power Plant Road, White Pine, Michigan 49971. Renewable Operating Permit and New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at www.michigan.gov/deqair. If requested by September 10, 2007, a public hearing will be held in the Cafetorium of the C.J. Sullivan Elementary School, 201 North Fourth Street, L'Anse, Michigan. Those interested may contact the Air Quality Division at 517-373-7089 on September 11, 2007, to determine if a hearing was requested and will be held. Prior to the hearing, an informational session will be held from 6:30 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. in the Cafetorium of the C.J. Sullivan Elementary School, 201 North Fourth Street, L'Anse, Michigan. Staff will provide a brief introduction regarding the proposed project and will be available to answer questions. The public hearing will IMMEDIATELY FOLLOW. Information Contact: *Randal Telesz*, Air Quality Division, 517-373-7089.

### **Division Permit Contacts**

For additional information on permits, contact:

Air Quality Division	517-373-7074 517-335-4607	Pam Blue Cari DeBruler
Land and Water Management Division (land/water interface permits)	517-373-8798	Wendy Fitzner
Office of Geological Survey (oil, gas, mineral well, and sand dune mining permits)	517-241-1545	Thomas Godbold
Waste & Hazardous Materials Division	517-335-4034	Wanda Williams
Water Bureau	517-241-1346	Susan Ashcraft

- Groundwater Permits on Public Notice
- NPDES Permits on Public Notice
- Certificates of Coverage on Public Notice

## PART II: ENVIRONMENTAL CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS AND TRAINING PROGRAMS

## Conferences, Workshops, and Training

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2008 JANUARY 16 FEBRUARY 20 MONTHLY AIR PERMIT APPLICATION WORKSHOP FOR FIRST-TIME APPLICANTS, CONSTITUTION HALL, LANSING, MICHIGAN. For most first-time applicants, completing the Permit to Install application is a daunting task. However, submitting a complete and timely application can be more manageable if you know what's expected. The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality is offering this workshop designed to give information on how to submit a complete permit application. Since this workshop is geared to first-time applicants, a significant portion of the session is devoted to your specific application. Air Quality Division permit engineers will be available to discuss your permit application with you one-on-one. To take full advantage of this time with the permit engineer, it is recommended you bring detailed information about your project with you to the session. This training is designed for first-time air permit applicants who need

8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. help completing their permit application; however, those who have applied before and need a refresher are welcome to attend as well. Online registration is available on the Web at <a href="https://www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops">www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops</a>, click on "Upcoming DEQ Workshops". Registration Fee: \$25, which includes parking in the Ellis Parking Lot on the east side of Constitution Hall and training manual. Information Contact: \*James Ostrowski\*, Environmental Science and Services Division, 517-241-8057, or Email at <a href="mailto:ostrowsi@michigan.gov">ostrowsi@michigan.gov</a>. Registration Information: \*Environmental Assistance Center, 800-662-9278, or Email at <a href="mailto:deq-ead-env-assist@michigan.gov">deq-ead-env-assist@michigan.gov</a>.

**SEPTEMBER 27, 2007** 

TURNING REACH INTO AN OPPORTUNITY: A TRAINING ON IMPLEMENTING THE EUROPEAN UNION'S NEW REACH LEGISLATION. LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE WEST CAMPUS, LANSING, MICHIGAN. REACH - Registration, Evaluation, and Authorization of Chemicals – is the recently adopted overhaul of the chemicals management system in the European Union (EU). Entered into force June 1, 2007, REACH has important implications for U.S. firms exporting to European Member States. In order to help U.S. companies implement REACH and move beyond the law toward sustainable chemicals management, the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality and Lowell Center for Sustainable Production are presenting this training. Attend this one-day training to learn from one of the few REACH authors and other experts about what you need to know to comply with REACH, stay competitive, and advance more sustainable chemicals management in your firm. Any company which exports chemicals or chemical mixtures into the EU; competes in Europe, the U.S. or elsewhere with products meeting European standards; or exports finished products to Europe should attend this training. Attendees will receive a database of tools and resources to help them make informed decisions about chemicals alternatives. For complete conference agenda and registration information, go to www.chemicalspolicy.org/news.shtml. Registration fee is \$100 and includes continental breakfast, lunch, and conference materials. Pre-registration and pre-payment are required. Registration and Information Contact: Yve Torrie, Lowell Center for Sustainable Production, 978-934-3121.

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